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REMARKS

A copy of a Notice To File Corrected Application Papers is attached. The Notice requires that Applicant submit an abstract of the disclosure.

In response to the Notice, Applicant has herewith submitted an abstract.

Applicant submits that the application is now in condition for examination on the merits. If the Office has questions, the Office is invited to call Applicant's Representative directly at (202) 974-6018.

Please charge or credit Deposit Account No. 12-2475 for all fees as needed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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